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NEWS OF THE DAY

N. Russell Herndon, 50 years old, for a number of years connected with the police department of the District of Columbia as a private precinct detective and later assigned to the central office as a detective, was found dead in bed Saturday morning he having been asphyxiated.

Early yesterday morning when Mrs. Annie Broderick reached her home at 1021 Euclid street northwest Washington from the home of a sister, where she had spent the night attending a sick relative, on going to the room of her husband, Thomas J. Broderick, 45 years old, she found the room filled with gas and her husband unconscious. He was hurried to the Freedmen's Hospital, where a physician pronounced him dead. Mr. Broderick conducted an auto livery service.

Four persons were killed yesterday at Kokomo, Ind., three instantly, when a buggy in which they were riding was struck by a passenger train at a street crossing. The four were crowded in a single buggy, which was directly on the track when the train reached the crossing. All the bodies were thrown 200 feet.

Two persons were killed and four seriously injured in a collision be-

tween two Texas and Pacific trains near Strawn, Tex., late yesterday. W. W. Givens, engineer, and E. E. McGraw, fireman, of a local passenger train which crashed into the rear car of the eastbound "sunshine special," were killed. The latter train had stopped at a water tank when the collision occurred.

President Wilson's re-election will have cost the Democratic National Committee approximately \$2,000,000 when all bills are liquidated. The final statement of Treasurer Wilbur W. Marsh, shows the total amount contributed to the campaign fund was \$1,594,548.05. Total disbursements through New York headquarters aggregated \$1,493,312.84. A deficit of \$300,000 is being collected by assessment upon the States, cities and towns and from individual contributors.

From the masthead of the British cruiser Lancaster, stationed fifteen miles southeast of Sandy Hook, last night came the wireless warning that German submarines were lying off the American coast. The radio directed that the commanders of all vessels flying the flag of the entente allies keep a sharp watch for U-boats and to show no more lights than necessary. Furthermore, they were warned to avoid the regular trans-Atlantic lanes as much as possible.

Billy Sunday emphatically denied yesterday in Boston, that he intended to retire next year from revival work. "Not on your life," shouted the evangelist in making reply to the query. "I shall preach as long as the Lord lets me keep my voice and my legs are strong enough to prop me up. I pray the Lord will let me keep on fighting the devil until the very hour when he says: 'That's enough, Billy, come up.'"

Get 'em pulled electrically. Walter Layton, 39 years old, of Camden, N. C., did Thursday night, and he didn't have to pay a dentist to do the job either. Layton was walking in the rainstorm at Ninth and Spruce streets, Camden, his attention diverted by trying to balance an umbrella against the gale. There was a sagging electric wire ahead of him, but Layton didn't see it. The wire was full of "kick," which Layton realized when it grazed against his mouth and sent two hundred or more volts of electricity coursing about his jaws. Four teeth popped out of their sockets like the "jack out of a box," Layton hiked home, thankful it was only his teeth he had lost.

Louis P. Shoemaker, prominent Washington real estate dealer, died yesterday afternoon in the Emergency Hospital from an attack of acute indigestion. He was one of the pioneer citizens of Washington, having been born in 1856 in the old Shoemaker homestead at Pierce's Mill in Rock Creek Park. His father, Pierce Shoemaker, was owner of most of the land which now comprises the park.

Mrs. Russell O'Hara, wife of a New York school teacher, and her twin daughters were burned to death early yesterday when fire destroyed their cottage near Chenango bridge, Binghamton, N. Y. The bodies were found yesterday morning, those of the little girls huddled close to the mother.

\$250,000 LUMBER FIRE

Alexandria, La., Nov. 27.—Five million feet of hard wood lumber, valued at \$250,000, was destroyed by fire which originated early yesterday morning in a barn near the Ford Brenner sawmill yards. The fire had burned for eighteen hours before it was extinguished last night. Five box cars on the Texas and Pacific tracks near the yards, loaded with cotton and miscellaneous shipments valued at several thousand dollars, also were destroyed.

MAPLED APPLES.

Core and pare six or eight tart apples. Let simmer until nearly tender in a cupful each of maple sugar and water boiled together two to three minutes. Set the apples in a granite ware pan and press into them chopped almonds, dredge with maple sugar and brown. Serve hot with whipped cream.

APPLE FLAMINGO.

8 red apples, 2 cupfuls of sugar, 1 cupful of water, 1 cupful of cream, 2 tablespoonsful of lemon juice, 2 tablespoonsful of orange juice, grated rind of 1/2 lemon, grated rind of 1/2 orange. Wash apples and arrange in baking dish. Add sugar and water and cook until tender, turning so that all sides may be evenly cooked. Be sure to preserve the shape. Remove skin carefully to leave bright coloring on the apple. Boil syrup until thick, add fruit juice and rinds, pour around apples and garnish with whipped cream.

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ANNUAL MEETINGS

LEGAL NOTICE

To Whom It May Concern: The Las Ovas Company, Incorporated, proposes to reduce its maximum authorized capital stock from three hundred thousand dollars to thirty thousand dollars, and the amount of stock actually issued and outstanding from ninety-one thousand dollars per share, and the stock now issued and outstanding has a par value of one thousand dollars per share, and the stock to be issued will have a par value of ten dollars per share, so that each stockholder will hold the same number of shares, but of the lower par value.

HILARY A. HERBERT, President.
Attest: Conrad Reid, Secretary.
277-3w Nov. 25, Dec. 2-9.

Legal Notice.

To Whom It May Concern: The Capital Paint Company, Incorporated, proposes to decrease the capital stock of the Company by the purchase by the Company, at the lowest offered price, not above par, of its outstanding preferred stock, said preferred stock consisting of four hundred and sixty shares of the par value of forty-six thousand dollars.

John F. Symington, President.
Conrad C. Smith, Secretary
276-N-1-D-1-8

Notice.

Notice to State Tax Payers—I am now prepared to receive the State taxes for the year 1916. The attention of tax-payers is respectfully called to the importance of paying the same prior to December 1, 1916, as on that date a penalty of five per cent. will be added to all unpaid bills and their collection enforced as required by law.

THOS. W. ROBINSON,
273-101 City Treasurer.
Alexandria, Nov. 21, 1916

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE WASHINGTON FERTILIZER COMPANY

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this company for the election of officers and directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting, will be held at the general office of the company, rooms 1 and 2 Alexandria National Bank Building, Alexandria, Va., at the hour of 12:00 noon, Wednesday the 13th day of December 1916.

JOHN F. WILKINS, President,
H. STIDHAM, Secretary.
278-13t.

NOTICE

TAKE NOTICE—That the undersigned will, on the 26th day of December, 1916, or as soon thereafter as his application may be heard, make application to the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, for license to order, purchase or receive pure grain, ethyl or pure fruit alcohol, for the use of the laboratory of the Southern Railway Company in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, not to be used contrary to the provisions of chapter 146 of the Acts of Assembly of Virginia of 1916.

J. E. RAMAGE,
Superintendent of Chemical Laboratory.
Nov. 21-28, Dec. 5.

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FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Brick house, 1114 Cameron street, 6 rooms and pantry, bath, gas, furnace in cellar, \$200. per year. Also 6 room frame house, 1406 Duke street, gas \$12.00 per month, including water. Enquire at 319 N. Columbus street, John T. Harrison. 277-3t.

WANTED

BOOKKEEPER WANTED—Young lady with experience on modern methods of accounting preferred. A good position and salary with an old established manufacturing concern. If now employed, can answer in strict confidence; give full particulars regarding self and reference or no attention will be paid. Box 25 Gazette Office. 278-3t.

Highest cash prices paid for old feather beds. Also feather mattresses made. Address T. G. D., Gazette Office. 278-6t.

WANTED—A beautiful little boy baby three months old wants a home. He will be given to a couple who can furnish references. If interested write, 100 W. Clay Street, Richmond, Va., 275-5t.

ROOMS AND BOARD—Several nice rooms with or without board; heat, bath on same floor, hot and cold water, electric lights, good table, and terms reasonable. Apply 220 N. Columbus street 276-3t.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—A number of homer pigeons. Good breed mostly mated pairs, at 50c a pair. P. L. Rush, 3001 Duke St. Phone 476w.5. 276-3t.

WOOD—You can get it at the Cash Wood Yard. Just opened for business. Prompt automobile delivery service, 319 north Fairfax street. Phone 819. 252-27t.

FRESH COUNTRY EGGS—38 cents dozen—per case (30 doz.) f. o. b. Greensboro—cash with order. J. W. Wiley, box 542 Greensboro, N. C. 268-1.M

FOR SALE—2 acres more or less opposite the grounds at the Theological Seminary, Fairfax county. A beautiful lot with good shade. Price 700 dollars. Address J. H. Chenery, Ashland, Va. 278-1t.

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AUCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE

RESIDENCE PROPERTY IN

ROSEMONT.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on May 15, 1914, recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book 143, page 155, executed by William H. Dawson and wife to Gardner L. Boothe, to secure to the Rosemont Development Company, Incorporated, the payment of certain notes therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of some of said notes, and at the request and by the direction of the holder of said notes, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises, on Thursday, December 7, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, Lot numbered 10 in Block numbered 19 on the plan of Section No. 3 of the subdivision of Rosemont, as the same appears duly recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 134, page 594; the property being formerly located in Alexandria County but now being located in Alexandria City by legal extension of the corporate limits of the said city.

This property will be offered for sale subject to the lien of a first deed of trust, given to secure the sum of three thousand dollars and interest. Terms of Sale: CASH. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser. GARDNER L. BOOTHE, Trustee. Nov. 27, t. d. 278-8t.

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE

RESIDENCE PROPERTY IN

ROSEMONT.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on April 23, 1914, recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book 142, page 524, executed by William H. Dawson and wife to Gardner L. Boothe, to secure to the Rosemont Development Company, Incorporated, the payment of certain notes therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of some of said notes, and at the request and by the direction of the holder of said notes, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises, on Thursday, December 7, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, Lot numbered 19, on the plan of Section No. 3 of the subdivision of Rosemont, as the same appears duly recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book 134, page 594; the property being formerly located in Alexandria County but now being located in Alexandria City by legal extension of the corporate limits of the said City.

This property will be offered for sale subject to the lien of a first deed of trust, given to secure the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars and interest. Terms of Sale: CASH. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser. GARDNER L. BOOTHE, Trustee. Nov. 27, t. d. 278-8t.

SAMUEL H. LUNT, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE OF DESIRABLE

RESIDENCE PROPERTY IN

ROSEMONT.

Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust bearing date on April 3, 1914, recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book 142, page 341, executed by William H. Dawson and wife to Gardner L. Boothe, to secure to the Rosemont Development Company, Incorporated, the payment of certain notes therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of some of said notes, and at the request and by the direction of the holder of said notes, the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, on the premises, on Thursday, December 7, 1916, at 12 o'clock noon, Lot numbered 28 in Block numbered 2, on the plan of Section No. 1 of the subdivision of Rosemont, as the same appears duly recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 129, page 27; the property being formerly located in Alexandria County but now being located in Alexandria City by legal extension of the corporate limits of the said City.

This property will be offered for sale subject to the lien of a first deed of trust, given to secure the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars and interest. Terms of Sale: CASH. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser. GARDNER L. BOOTHE, Trustee. Nov. 27, t. d. 278-8t.

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